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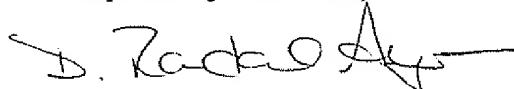
**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE
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Sir:

Pursuant to 35 USC §134, 37 CFR 1.191, and MPEP §1205, the Applicants in the above-identified patent application hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Office Action dated May 23, 2006 and the Advisory Action dated August 11, 2006.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$500.00 for the Appeal fee under 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

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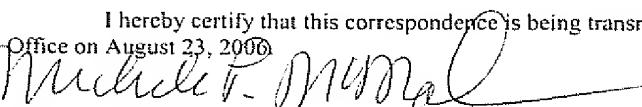


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